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Application No.: 09/922,647 ) : Art Unit: 2624  
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METHOD AND APPARATUS, ) :  
AND STORAGE MEDIUM ) : August 29, 2005

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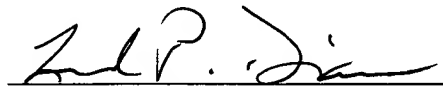
Applicant submits herewith a substitute specification, in which no new matter is added. The substitute specification is submitted in both a marked and a clean version.

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herewith. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to return an initialed copy of the Form PTO-1449, indicating the references cited thereon were considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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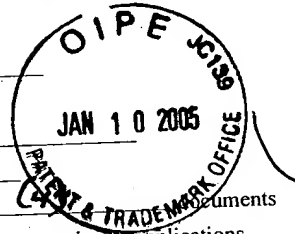
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